



## TEMPORARY SEDIMENT BASIN

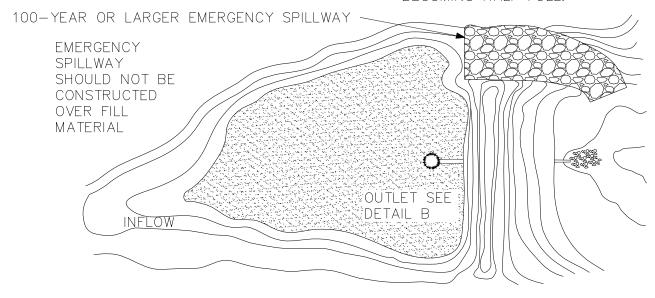
## DEFINITION

A TEMPORARY BASIN WITH A CONTROLLED STORM WATER RELEASE STRUCTURE, FORMED BY EXCAVATION OR CONSTRUCTION OF AN EMBANKMENT OF COMPACTED SOIL. REQUIRED FOR ALL DRAINAGE AREAS GREATER THAN 1 ACRE.

## **PURPOSE**

TO DETAIN SEDIMENT-LADEN RUNOFF FROM DISTRIBUTED AREAS TO ALLOW THE MAJORITY OF THE SEDIMENT TO SETTLE OUT.

LIMITING GEOMETRY: L/W GREATER THAN 2.0 REQUIRED VOLUME TO CREST OF EMERGENCY SPILLWAY = 1800 CUBIC FEET PER ACRE OF DRAINAGE AREA. SHOULD BE CLEANED OUT PRIOR TO BECOMING HALF FULL.



COUNTY

STANDARDS & SPECIFICATIONS

REVISED:

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